He also maintains all State-owned armories located in Maryland and all other properties which may be occupied, purchased, or leased by the Military Department. The Ranking Line Officer makes all regulations for the use of such facilities, and applications for their use should be made to him. In addition, he is responsible for the administration, training, and supply of approximately 8,000 National Guardsmen, including 1,240 full-time employees (160 State-paid and 1,080 Federally-paid).

In time of war or other national emergency when the National Guard is absent from the State, the Governor, as Commander-in-Chief of the militia, has the power to organize the Maryland State Guard. Such forces are separate and distinct from the National Guard and are composed of officers, commissioned or assigned, and all able-bodied male citizens of the State who volunteer and are accepted for service. Members of the State Guard are uniformed as prescribed by the Governor, who also has the power to reduce or disband such forces when deemed necessary.

NATIONAL GUARD UNITS ALLOTTED TO THE STATE OF MARYLAND

Allotted by the Department of the Army:

Non-Divisional Units

State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment 229th Army Band 1st Battalion (NH), 70th Artillery 29th Support Center, Rear Area Operations 121st Engineer Battalion (CBT) 70th General Supply Company (GS) Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 729th Maintenance Battalion 1729th Maintenance Company (DS) 110th Collection and Classification Company 2729th Maintenance Company (Lt DS)

1204th Transportation Company (Acft DS)
1229th Transportation Company (Lt Med Trk)
136th Evacuation Hospital (SMBL)
Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 5th Special Forces
Battalion, 20th SF

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 115th Military Police Battalion (SVC)

200th Military Police Company (Guard) 29th Military Police Company (Guard) 29th PI Detachment (Fld Svc)

28th Division Units

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 58th Brigade, 28th Infantry Division 1st Battalion, 115th Infantry 1st Battalion, 175th Infantry
1st Battalion, 175th Infantry
2d Battalion, 175th Infantry
2d FA Battalion, 110th Artillery (105T)
Troop B, 1st Squadron, 223d Cavalry
Troop D (Air) 1st Squadron, 223d Cavalry
Company C, 103d Engineer Battalion
Company C, 103d Medical Battalion
Company C, (FS) 728th Maintenance Battalion
Detachment 2, 28th Military Police Company Detachment 2, 28th Military Police Company